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SUBJECT: INDIAN SATELLITE

REFS: A. NEW DELHI 5405. B. STATE 092387.

1. ACCORDING TO THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SPACE, THE COST OF THE SATELLITE RESEARCH AND CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM, WHICH INCLUDES THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND TEST FACILITIES FOR THE ARYABHATA SATELLITES I AND II, WAS ABOUT RS. 50 MILLION (SEE REFTEL B). THE SECOND SATELLITE IS NOW BEING EQUIPPED WITH TELEVISION CAMERAS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT FOR A REMOTE SENSING PROJECT. THIS WILL COST AN ADDITIONAL RS. 5 MILLION.

2. THE LAUNCHING OF THE SATELLITE BY A SOVIET ROCKET WAS TO BE PROVIDED FREE ACCORDING TO AN AGREEMENT SIGNED IN 1972 BETWEEN INDIA AND THE SOVIET UNION ON SPACE RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY. SAXBE

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